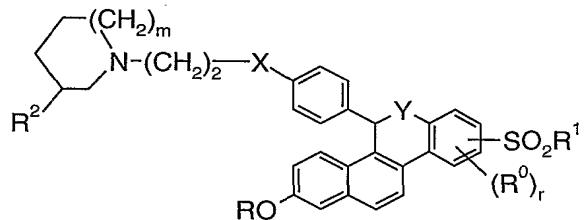


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WE CLAIM:

1. A compound of formula I:



I;

5 wherein:

m and r are independently 0, 1 or 2;

R is H, SO2(n-C4-C6 alkyl) or COR³;

R⁰ is independently at each occurrence OH, CF₃, halo, C₁-C₆ alkyl or C₁-C₆ alkoxy;

10 R¹ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, NR⁴R^{4a}, CF₃ or CH₂CF₃;

R² is H or methyl provided that if m is 1 or 2, then R² must be H and that if m is 0, then R² must be methyl;

R³ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, NR⁶R^{6a}, phenoxy, or phenyl optionally substituted with halo;

15 R⁴ is C₁-C₆ alkyl or phenyl;

R^{4a}, R⁶ and R^{6a} are independently at each occurrence H, C₁-C₆ alkyl or phenyl;

X is O or NR⁷;

Y is O or S; and

20 R⁷ is H or C₁-C₆ alkyl; or a pharmaceutical acid addition salt thereof.

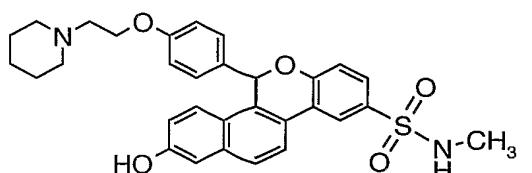
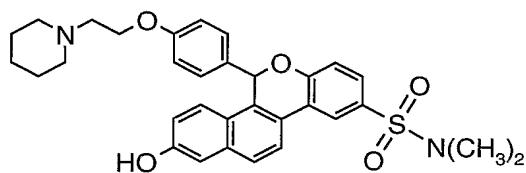
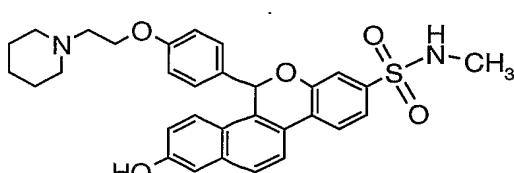
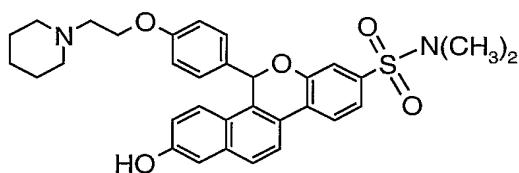
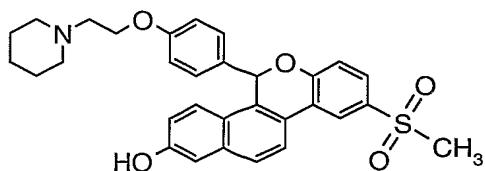
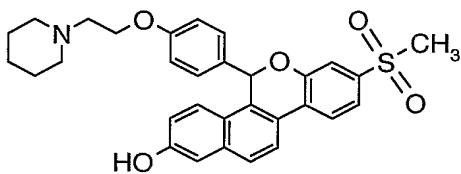
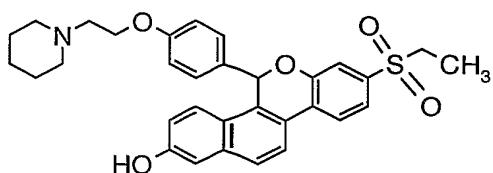
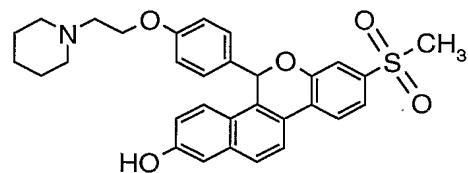
2. The compound of claim 1 wherein X and Y are O and m is 1 or 2.

3. The compound of claim 1 or 2 wherein r is 0.

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4. The compound of any one of claims 1-3 wherein R is H or COR³ and R³ is C₁-C₄ alkyl, NHCH₃ or phenyl.
5. The compound of any one of claims 1-4 wherein R is H and m is 1.
6. The compound of any one of claims 1-5 wherein the SO₂R¹ moiety is at the 4-position.
7. The compound of any one of claims 1-6 wherein R¹ is C₁-C₄ alkyl, CF₃ or NR⁴R^{4a} and R⁴ is C₁-C₄ alkyl and R^{4a} is H or C₁-C₄ alkyl.
8. The compound of any one of claims 1-7 wherein R¹ is methyl, ethyl, cyclopropyl, CF₃, NHCH₃ or N(CH₃)₂.
- 15 9. A compound selected from the group consisting of:

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or a pharmaceutical acid addition salt thereof.

5 10. The compound of any one of claims 1-9 which is the hydrochloride salt.

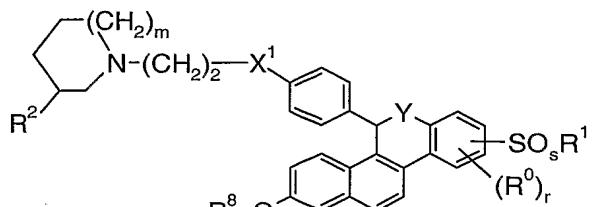
10 11. A method of treating endometriosis comprising administering to a patient in need thereof an effective amount of a compound of any one of claims 1-10.

10 12. A method of treating uterine leiomyoma comprising administering to a patient in need thereof an effective amount of a compound of any one of claims 1-10.

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13. A compound of any one of claims 1-10 for use in treating endometriosis and/or uterine leiomyoma.

14. A compound of formula II:



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II;

wherein:

m and r are independently 0, 1 or 2;

q is 0 or 1;

s is 0, 1 or 2;

R⁰ is independently at each occurrence OH, CF₃, halo, C₁-C₆ alkyl or

C₁-C₆ alkoxy;

R¹ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, NR⁴R⁴a, CF₃ or CH₂CF₃;

R² is H or methyl provided that if m is 1 or 2, then R² must be H and that

15 if m is 0, then R² must be methyl;

R⁸ is H, C₁-C₆ alkyl, benzyl, SO₂CH₃, SO₂(n-C₄-C₆ alkyl) or COR³;

R³ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, NR⁶R⁶a, phenoxy, or phenyl optionally substituted with halo;

R⁴ is C₁-C₆ alkyl or phenyl;

20 R⁴a, R⁶ and R⁶a are independently at each occurrence H, C₁-C₆ alkyl or phenyl;

X¹ is O or NR⁹;

Y is O or S; and

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R⁹ is H, C₁-C₆ alkyl or CO₂(C₁-C₆ alkyl); provided that if s is 2, then R⁸ is C₁-C₆ alkyl, SO₂CH₃ or benzyl or R⁹ is CO₂(C₁-C₆ alkyl); or an acid addition salt thereof.

5 15. The compound of claim 14 wherein X¹ and Y are O and m is 1 or 2.

 16. The compound of claim 14 or 15 wherein r is 0.

 17. The compound of any one of claims 14-16 wherein R⁸ is SO₂CH₃, benzyl
10 or methyl.

 18. The compound of any one of claims 14-17 wherein m is 1.

 19. The compound of any one of claims 14-18 wherein the SO_sR¹ moiety is at
15 the 4-position.

 20. The compound of any one of claims 14-19 wherein R¹ is C₁-C₄ alkyl,
 CF₃ or NR⁴R^{4a} and R⁴ is C₁-C₄ alkyl and R^{4a} is H or C₁-C₄ alkyl.

20 21. The compound of any one of claims 14-20 wherein R¹ is methyl, ethyl,
 cyclopropyl, CF₃, NHCH₃ or N(CH₃)₂.